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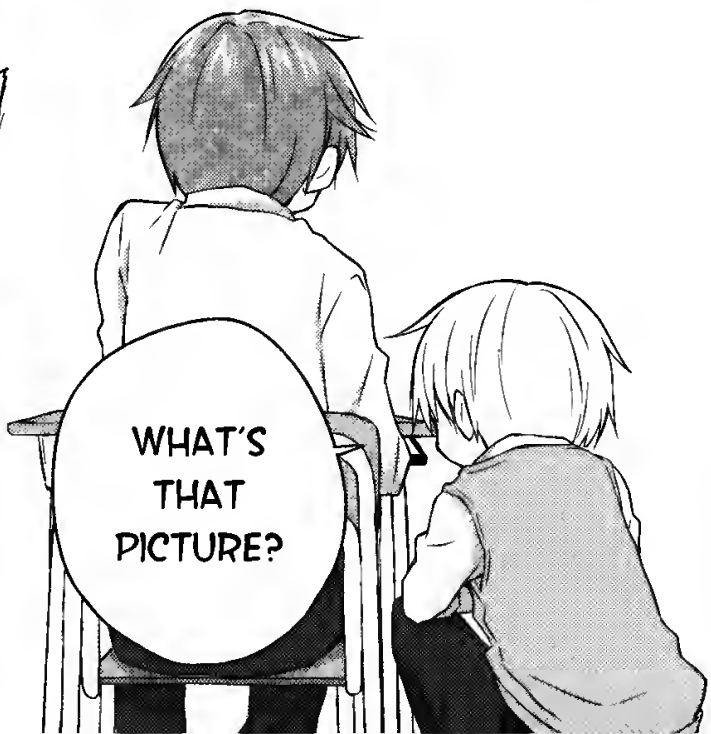
CRASH
WHA...!?
GAH!?
SMACK


WHAT'S THAT PICTURE?

NOW ON SALE:
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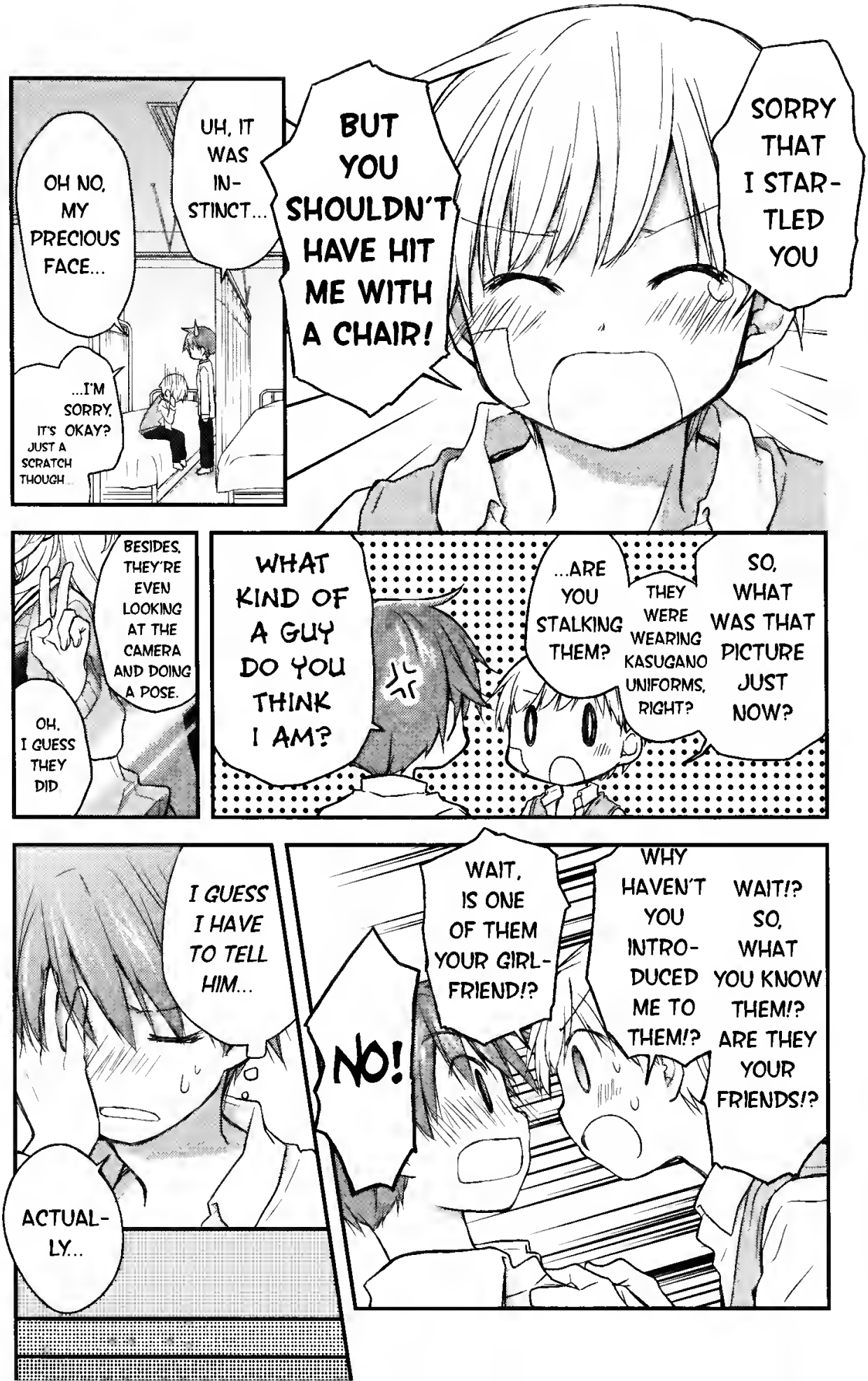
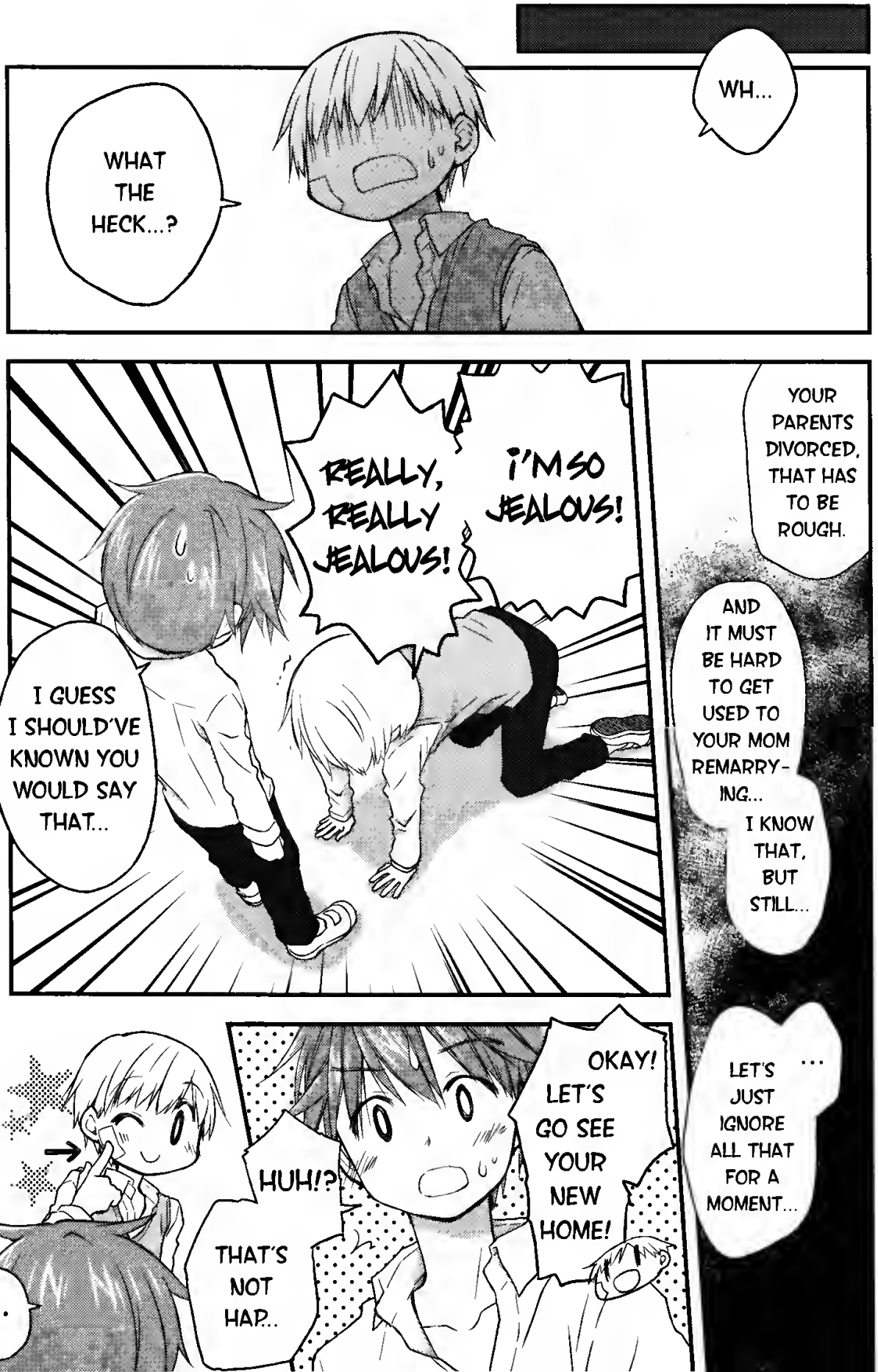
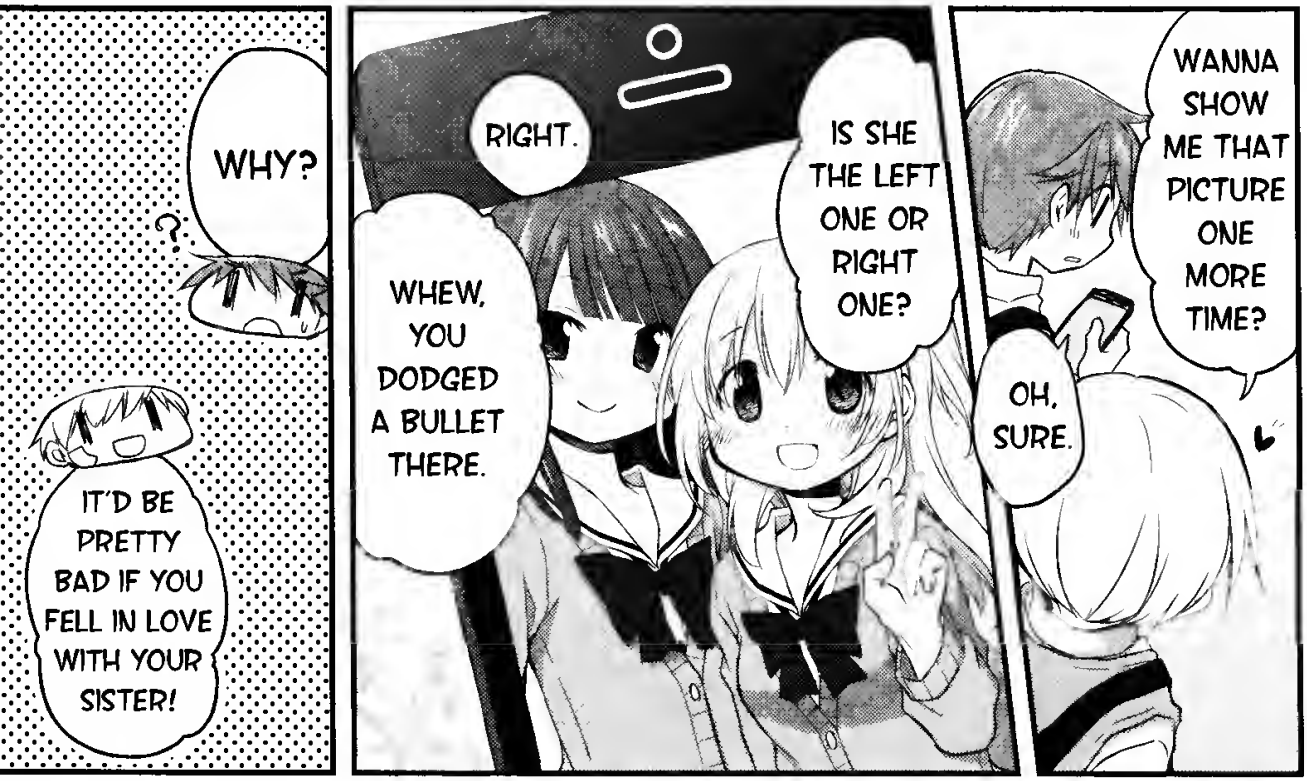

SORRY THAT I STARTLED YOU
BUT YOU SHOULDN'T HAVE HIT ME WITH A CHAIR!
UH, IT WAS INSTINCT...
OH NO, MY PRECIOUS FACE...
...I'M SORRY. IT'S OKAY? JUST A SCRATCH THOUGH...
SO, WHAT WAS THAT PICTURE JUST NOW?
...ARE YOU STALKING THEM?
THEY WERE WEARING KASUGANO UNIFORMS, RIGHT?
WHAT KIND OF A GUY DO YOU THINK I AM?
BESIDES, THEY'RE EVEN LOOKING AT THE CAMERA AND DOING A POSE.
OH, I GUESS THEY DID
WAIT!? SO, WHAT YOU KNOW THEM!? ARE THEY YOUR FRIENDS!?
WHY HAVEN'T YOU INTRODUCED ME TO THEM!?
WAIT, IS ONE OF THEM YOUR GIRLFRIEND!?
NO!
I GUESS I HAVE TO TELL HIM...
ACTUALLY...


WH...
WHAT THE HECK...?
YOUR PARENTS DIVORCED, THAT HAS TO BE ROUGH.
AND IT MUST BE HARD TO GET USED TO YOUR MOM REMARRY-ING...
I KNOW THAT, BUT STILL...
... LET'S JUST IGNORE ALL THAT FOR A MOMENT...
I'M SO JEALOUS!
REALLY, REALLY JEALOUS!
I GUESS I SHOULD'VE KNOWN YOU WOULD SAY THAT...
OKAY! LET'S GO SEE YOUR NEW HOME!
HUH!?
THAT'S NOT HAP..
...

JEEZ... TRY TO BEHAVE, OKAY?
Of course! I'M NOT A LITTLE KID!☆
ONE MORE THING: NO FLIRTING.
YOU DON'T SEEM TO TRUST ME AT ALL...
OKAY...


WANNA SHOW ME THAT PICTURE ONE MORE TIME?
OH, SURE.
IS SHE THE LEFT ONE OR RIGHT ONE?
RIGHT.
WHEW, YOU DODGED A BULLET THERE.
WHY?
IT'D BE PRETTY BAD IF YOU FELL IN LOVE WITH YOUR SISTER!

THE OTHER GIRL LOOKS LIKE SHE'S THE DEPENDABLE BIG SISTER TYPE, AND YOU LIKE THOSE, DON'T YOU?
OH...
I GUESS THEY WERE MY TYPE.

I... I'M NOT ANGRY... AT ALL...!
WHY ARE YOU SO ANGRY?
THEY STILL ARE!
NOT ANY-MORE?
WERE?
SHE'S HERE...
HI!
CLACK
SORRY TO BOTHER YOU!
I... I'M HOME...
WELCOME! I'M NAOYA'S SISTER!
MAKE YOURSELF AT HOME!
CLACK
SLNK...
Nao-kun, is that your friend?
UH-HUH...

SHUT IT OR I'LL HIT YOU FOR REAL THIS TIME...
...NAO-KUN!♡
SLAM...
IT SEEMS LIKE YOU'VE MANAGED TO SETTLE IN.
WELL... IT REALLY TOOK A WHILE.
...
NAO-YA?
I'M NOT GOING TO EVEN BOTHER TO COMMENT ON THAT...
SHE'S EVEN CUTER IN PER-SON!♡
CLACK
YOU KNOW, IT'S NICE THAT YOUR MOTHER REMAR-RIED.
IS YOUR NEW STEP-DAD A NICE GUY?
...YEAH.
..SORRY FOR NOT REALLY TALKING TO YOU ABOUT THIS BEFORE...
NAH, IT'S OK.
HA, HA, HA...
IF I WERE YOU, I WOULDN'T HAVE TOLD ME EITHER!

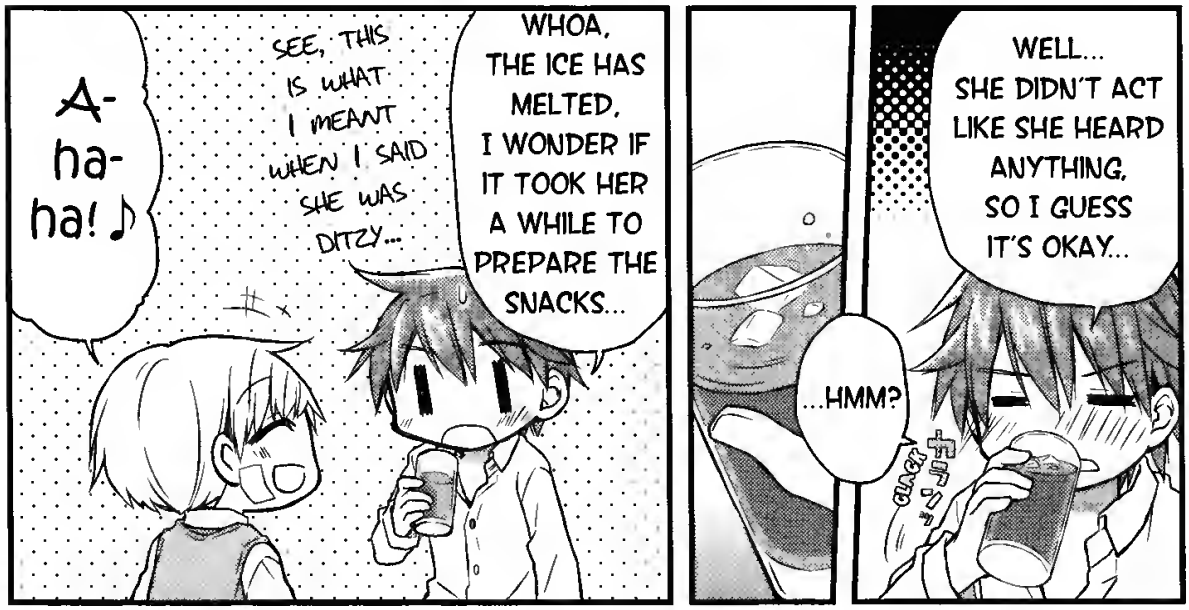
THE FIRST TIME WE ALL ATE DINNER TOGETHER
HE WAS OBVIOUSLY BEING VERY NICE TO BOTH ME AND MY MOM
BUT HE SEEMED TO BE REALLY WORRIED ABOUT NEE-CHAN.
WE'RE LIVING AS A FAMILY NOW
BUT HE'S STILL A GREAT GUY.
THAT MADE ME UNDERSTAND HOW MUCH HE REALLY CARES FOR HER.
THAT'S HOW I KNEW I COULD TRUST HIM.
BUT REALLY, NEE-CHAN IS THE REAL PROBLEM HERE.
SHE'S NOTHING LIKE A BIG SISTER.
SHE HAS WAY TOO MANY FAULTS TO QUALIFY.
Whoa! We finally got to the actual problem!♡
HUH?

HOW ABOUT YOU
TELL ME HOW YOU REALLY FEEL ABOUT HER?
BUT REALLY
I'VE NOTICED BY HOW YOU TALK ABOUT HER
AREN'T YOU THINKING A LOT ABOUT YOUR "NEE-CHAN"?
REALLY FEEL...
HOW I...
HM, HMM?
IT'S KIND OF HARD TO SAY... I DON'T REALLY KNOW HOW I FEEL ABOUT HER...
WELL, ACTUAL-LY...

SHE CAN BE KIND OF CHILDISH AND BRATTY AND A LITTLE BIT DITZY...
AND SHE REALLY WANTS EVERY-THING TO GO HER WAY
BUT SOMETIMES SHE ACTS MUCH MORE MATURELY THAN I DO.
...ALL IN ALL SHE'S A REALLY GREAT PERSON.
LATELY SHE HAS BEEN STARTING TO FEEL LIKE A REAL FAMILY MEMBER TOO.
...OH, IT'S KIND OF LIKE
WHAT I SAID JUST NOW ABOUT HER FATHER, I GUESS I'M KIND OF THE SAME TOO...
I WANT TO GET CLOSER TO HER
...OR SOME-THING LIKE THAT.
OH!

JEEZ, IS THIS ANY WAY TO TREAT A GUEST?!? YOU DON'T EVEN HAVE ANY SNACKS OR DRINKS!
AT LEAST KNOCK FIRST BEFORE COMING IN!
BUT I DID?
DON'T BE SO CHILDISH.
HAVE FUN! ♪
SLAM
THANK YOU VERY MUCH!♡
DO... DO YOU THINK SHE HEARD WHAT I SAID JUST NOW...?
NO IDEA...

WELL, WHO CARES? YOU DIDN'T SAY ANY-THING BAD.
I CARE!
IS THERE ANYONE WHO WOULDN'T BE HAPPY TO HEAR WHAT YOU SAID JUST NOW?


WELL... SHE DIDN'T ACT LIKE SHE HEARD ANYTHING, SO I GUESS IT'S OKAY...
...HMM?
GULP GULP
WHOA, THE ICE HAS MELTED, I WONDER IF IT TOOK HER A WHILE TO PREPARE THE SNACKS...
SEE, THIS IS WHAT I MEANT WHEN I SAID SHE WAS DITZY...
A-ha-ha!♪

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